AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Original) A wireless-communication network system including a radio-base-station device, a mobile terminal, an authentication terminal, a controller having a function of generating and/or deleting user-authentication data of the mobile terminal, and a micro radio-base-station device which passes on data between the mobile terminal and a communication network,

wherein the controller determines whether or not a utilization request transmitted from the authentication terminal is accepted, and transmits the user-authentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal, and wherein;

when a user-authentication-data-reception-completion notification is transmitted from the mobile terminal, the controller transmits a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal and performs processing for charging a user a utilization fee.

2. (Original) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 1, wherein the micro radio-base-station device receives position-registration-request data to which the user-authentication data is attached from the mobile terminal, compares the user-authentication data and terminal information that are included in the position-registration-request data with a database included in the controller, performs position registration when the user-authentication data and the terminal information agree with the database, and transmits a position-registration-completion notification to the mobile terminal and the controller, and wherein; radio communication is started between the mobile terminal which received the position-registration-completion notification and the micro radio-base-station device.

3. (Original) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 2, wherein the mobile terminal transmits utilization-finish-request data to the controller via the micro radio-base-station device, or the ordering terminal,

wherein the controller cancels the registered position of the mobile terminal which received the utilization-finish notification, invalidates the user-authentication data, and transmits a utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the micro-radio-base-station device and/or the ordering terminal,

wherein when the utilization fee is paid on time, the controller performs processing for charging the user the utilization fee, and transmits the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification and utilization-fee-statement data to the mobile terminal, and

wherein the mobile terminal invalidates the user-authentication data and finishes communicating with a hot spot.

- 4. (Currently amended) The wireless-communication network system according to any one of Claims 1 to 3 Claim 1, wherein the data transmission and/or reception is performed between the mobile terminal and the authentication terminal by using a communication scheme other than radio communication.
- 5. (Original) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 4, wherein the communication scheme other than the radio communication is infrared communication and/or communication using an IC card.

6. (Original) A wireless-communication network system including a radio-base-station device, a mobile terminal, an authentication terminal, a controller having a function of generating and/or deleting user-authentication data of the mobile terminal, and a micro radio-base-station device which passes on data between the mobile

wherein the controller

terminal and a communication network,

determines whether or not a utilization request transmitted from the authentication terminal is accepted, and transmits the user-authentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal,

transmits encoded-information data used for radio communication performed between the micro-radio-base-station device and the mobile terminal to the mobile terminal upon receiving user-authentication-data-reception completion notification transmitted from the mobile terminal, and

transmits a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal and performs processing for charging a user a utilization fee upon receiving an encoded-information-reception-completion notification transmitted from the mobile terminal.

7. (Original) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 6, wherein the micro radio-base-station device receives position-registration-request data transmitted from the mobile terminal, where the user-authentication data is attached to the position-registration-request data, compares the user-authentication data and terminal information that are included in the position-registration-request data with a database included in the controller, performs position registration when the user-authentication data and the terminal information agree with the database, and

transmits a position-registration-completion notification to the mobile terminal and the controller, and

wherein radio communication is started between the mobile terminal which received the position-registration-completion notification and the micro radio-base-station device on the basis of the encoded-information data.

8. (Original) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 7, wherein the mobile terminal transmits utilization-finish-request data to the controller via the micro radio-base-station device, or the ordering terminal,

wherein the controller cancels the registered position of the mobile terminal which received the utilization-finish notification, invalidates the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data, and transmits a utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the micro radio-base-station device and/or the ordering terminal,

wherein when the utilization fee is paid on time, the controller performs processing for charging the user the utilization fee, and transmits the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification and utilization-fee-statement data to the mobile terminal, and

wherein the mobile terminal invalidates the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data, and finishes communicating with a hot spot.

9. (Currently amended) A wireless-communication network system according to <u>Claim 6</u> any one of <u>Claims 6 to 8</u>, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.

10. (Original) A controller of a wireless-communication network system that is connected to an authentication terminal and a micro radio-base station and that passes on data between a mobile terminal and a communication network, the controller comprising:

a function of generating and/or deleting user-authentication data of the mobile terminal,

wherein the controller determines whether or not a utilization request transmitted from the authentication terminal is accepted, and transmits the user-authentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal, and

wherein when a user-authentication-data-reception completion notification is transmitted from the mobile terminal, the controller transmits a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal and performs processing for charging a user a utilization fee.

11. (Original) A controller of a wireless-communication network system that is connected to an authentication terminal and a micro radio base station and that passes on data between a mobile terminal and a communication network, the controller comprising:

a function of generating and/or deleting user-authentication data of the mobile terminal.

wherein the controller determines whether or not a utilization request transmitted from the authentication terminal is accepted, and transmits the userauthentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification

when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal,

wherein when a user-authentication-data-reception completion notification is transmitted from the mobile terminal, the controller transmits encoded-information data used for radio communication performed between the micro radio-base-station device and the mobile terminal to the mobile terminal, and

wherein when an encoded-information-reception-completion notification is transmitted from the mobile terminal, the controller transmits a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal and performs processing for charging a user a utilization fee.

12. (Original) A communication-service-providing method used in a wireless-communication network system constructed between a mobile terminal and a micro radio-base-station device via a communication network, the communication-service-providing method comprising the steps of:

determining whether or not a utilization request transmitted from an authentication terminal connected to the micro radio-base-station device is accepted, and transmitting the user-authentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal;

transmitting a user-authentication-data-reception-completion notification to a controller connected to the micro radio-base-station device upon receiving the user-authentication data;

transmitting encoded-information data used for radio communication performed between the micro radio-base-station device and the mobile terminal upon receiving the user-authentication-data-reception-completion notification;

transmitting an encoded-information-reception-completion notification to the controller via the authentication terminal upon receiving the encoded-information data; and

receiving the encoded-information-reception-completion notification, transmitting a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal, and performing processing for charging a user a utilization fee.

13. (Original) The communication-service-providing method used in the wireless-communication network system according to Claim 12, the communication-service-providing method comprising the steps of:

transmitting position-registration-request data including the user-authentication data and terminal information from the mobile terminal;

comparing the user-authentication data and the terminal information that are included in the transmitted position-registration-request data with a database included in the controller;

performing position registration and transmitting a position-registrationcompletion notification to the mobile terminal and the controller when the userauthentication data and the terminal information agree with the database, and

starting the radio communication between the mobile terminal which received the position-registration-completion notification and the micro radio-base-station device.

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14. (Original) The communication-service-providing method used in the wireless-communication network system according to Claim 13, further comprising the steps of:

transmitting utilization-finish-request data from the mobile terminal to the controller;

cancelling the registered position of the mobile terminal which received a utilization-finish notification transmitted from the controller;

invalidating the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data; transmitting a utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal;

performing processing for charging the user the utilization fee when the utilization fee is paid on time;

transmitting the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification and utilization-fee-statement data to the mobile terminal; and

invalidating the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data, and finishing the communication after receiving the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification.

- 15. (Currently amended) The communication-service-providing method used in the wireless-communication network system according to <u>Claim 12</u> any one of <u>Claims 12 to 14</u>, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.
- 16. (Original) A program which makes a computer perform communicationservice-providing processing in a wireless-communication network system constructed

between a mobile terminal and a micro radio-base-station device via a communication network, the program comprising the steps of:

determining whether or not a utilization request transmitted from an authentication terminal connected to the micro radio-base-station device is accepted, and transmitting the user-authentication data when the utilization request is accepted, or a rejection notification when the utilization request is not accepted to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal;

transmitting a user-authentication-data-reception-completion notification to a controller connected to the micro radio-base-station device upon receiving the user-authentication data;

transmitting encoded-information data used for radio communication performed between the micro radio-base-station device and the mobile terminal upon receiving the user-authentication-data-reception-completion notification;

transmitting encoded-information-reception-completion notification to the controller via the authentication terminal upon receiving the encoded-information data; and

receiving the encoded-information-reception-completion notification, transmitting a user-registration-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal via the authentication terminal, and performing processing for charging a user a utilization fee.

17. (Original) The program according to Claim 16, further making the computer performs the steps of:

transmitting position-registration-request data including the user-authentication data and terminal information from the mobile terminal;

comparing the user-authentication data and the terminal information that are included in the transmitted position-registration-request data with a database included in the controller;

performing position registration and transmitting a position-registrationcompletion notification to the mobile terminal and the controller when the userauthentication data and the terminal information agree with the database, and

starting the radio communication between the mobile terminal which received the position-registration-completion notification and the micro radio-base-station device.

18. (Original) The program according to Claim 17, further making the computer performs the steps of:

transmitting utilization-finish-request data from the mobile terminal to the controller;

cancelling the registered position of the mobile terminal which received a utilization-finish notification transmitted from the controller;

invalidating the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data; transmitting a utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification to the mobile terminal;

performing processing for charging the user the utilization fee when the utilization fee is paid on time;

transmitting the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification and utilization-fee-statement data to the mobile terminal; and

invalidating the user-authentication data and the encoded-information data, and finishing the communication after receiving the utilization-finish-procedure-completion notification.

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19. A computer-readable information-recording medium (including a compact disk, a flexible disk, a hard disk, a magneto-optical disk, a digital video disk, a magnetic tape, and a semiconductor memory) on which the program according to <u>Claim 16 any one of Claims 16 to 18</u> is recorded.

- 20. (New) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 2, wherein the data transmission and/or reception is performed between the mobile terminal and the authentication terminal by using a communication scheme other than radio communication.
- 21. (New) The wireless-communication network system according to Claim 3, wherein the data transmission and/or reception is performed between the mobile terminal and the authentication terminal by using a communication scheme other than radio communication.
- 22. (New) A wireless-communication network system according to Claim 7, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.
- 23. (New) A wireless-communication network system according to Claim 8, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.
- 24. (New) The communication-service-providing method used in the wireless-communication network system according to Claim 13, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.

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- 25. (New) The communication-service-providing method used in the wireless-communication network system according to Claim 14, wherein the communication network includes the Internet, an intranet, and a LAN.
- 26. (New) A computer-readable information-recording medium (including a compact disk, a flexible disk, a hard disk, a magneto-optical disk, a digital video disk, a magnetic tape, and a semiconductor memory) on which the program according to Claim 17 is recorded.
- 27. (New) A computer-readable information-recording medium (including a compact disk, a flexible disk, a hard disk, a magneto-optical disk, a digital video disk, a magnetic tape, and a semiconductor memory) on which the program according to Claim 18 is recorded.